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STATUS INQUIRY

It has been four months since the filing of the above-referenced patent application. Applicants respectfully request the official filing receipt and the notification of the status of the above-identified patent application, filed February 23, 2000. For further information and reference, a copy of the PTO mailroom date-stamped filing receipt and a return postcard filing receipt are enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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